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BY STORM

Was Jeffersonville Taken When Knights of Columbus Invaded.

Gala Day On Occasion of Joint Initiation of Two Councils.

Attendance at Solemn High Mass Preceded All Other Events.

A BIG BANQUET AT NIGHT

The Knights of Columbus took Jeffersonville by storm last Sunday, the occasion being the joint initiation of candidates of New Albany and Jeffersonville Councils. More than 500 Knights, the majority of them from Southern Indiana and Louisville, went to Jeffersonville to assist at the exercises. The day began with attendance at solemn high mass at St. Augustine's church at 10 o'clock. Knights and candidates assembled at Elks' Hall and marched to the church. After they had been seated the parishioners filled the side aisles.

The Rev. Father F. Burge, of Washington, Ind., was celebrant of the mass, with the Rev. Father John O'Connell, of Jeffersonville, as deacon, and the Rev. Father Charles Curran, of New Albany, sub-deacon. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Burge, a member of the Knights of Columbus, a native of Indiana and a worthy son of the Catholic University at Washington, D. C. He spoke to the people of the Knights of Columbus of their aims and objects and of what the order had accomplished. His words encouraged the Knights and enthused the candidates for Knighthood.

Many of the visitors were entertained at dinner by the residents of Jeffersonville, and then the work of the day was the exemplification of the three degrees at Elks' Hall. A team from Louisville Council put on the first and second degrees, while the J. N. Jerome, of Evansville, and staff exemplified the third.

The banquet was held at Spieh's Hall at 8 o'clock in the evening. The menu was one that would tempt the appetite of a hermit, and all assembled did justice to the viands.

Hon. James W. Granger, Grand Knight of Jeffersonville Council, presided as toastmaster. The Rev. Father Charles P. Raffo, of Louisville, invoked the blessing and made a brief address. At the close of the physical feast, Dr. J. Jerome, of Evansville, addressed the assembled Knights. His subject was "A Medley." In the main he spoke of knighthood, the necessity for each council owning its own home and urged that gymnasiums, swimming pools, etc., should be provided in each home of the Knights.

Samuel J. Boldrick responded to the toast, "Catholic Newspapers," and his address showed that he had given the subject very serious thought. Hon. Michael J. Tamm, of New Albany, spoke in response to "Good of the Order" and made an eloquent appeal for aid of the unfortunates in highways and byways, in prisons and shams.

Attorney J. J. Kavanaugh, of Louisville, in responding to the toast "The Young Catholic," paid tribute to Indiana's young men, extended a greeting from Kentucky, and showed that the Catholic young men had done things in times of war as well as in peace. He urged the young men to keep clean hands and stainless hearts; not to strive for fame, but for honor, self respect and clear consciences.

The candidates who took the three degrees were—Matthew Biesel, Valentine M. Bisenstein, John P. Cull, John J. Connors, Glover L. Coots, John Dixon, William P. Dixon, John J. Dolan, Pat E. Donovan, Clarence A. Frank, Thomas E. Gleason, Thomas J. Grank, Warder P. Hoves, Michael J. Kehoe, George A. Kimmick, William P. Leonard, Michael B. McCann, Henry R. Neilhaus, James Radey, Pat W. Reilly, New Albany—Dennis H. Beeler, Richard L. Beeler, Michael M. Boland, Charles J. Brey, Conrad H. Broecker, Charles J. Burke, Charles P. Callahan, Daniel Carriek, Sr., Fred C. Finger, Edward J. Gibson, Charles L. Gohmann, James J. Goulding, John C. Herley, John B. Jones, Edward C. Knappe, Patrick Lannan, Joseph Langtry, J. W. Munster, James O'Hara, Frank H. Sauer, Joseph F. Schuler, Nicholas Seery, Cornelius P. Sullivan, Carl Terstege, Edward P. Verna, Louis L. Verna, Roger E. Verna, Anthony Zoeller.

OUTING FOR TRUSTEES.

The Very Rev. Father Leo, pastor of St. Anthony's church, and his assistants, Fathers Scraphin and Benedict, played hosts to the Trustees of St. Anthony's congregation on Thursday and gave them an outing at the Franciscan monastery in Lafayette township, Floyd county, Ind. The guests were Messrs. Philip Ackerman, Ben Schieman, John I. Schulten, Henry Nadorff, John Heer, Henry E. Eilers, A. Jansen, Joseph Sibley, Joseph Savers, Henry Evers, Frank P. Senn, John H. Wilms and John B. Ratterman.

CONFIRMATION PARTY.

Mrs. John Conley entertained last Sunday evening in honor of her daughter, Rosie Conley, Lorene Kremer and Marie McFarland, all of whom made their first communion and received the sacrament of confirmation at St. John's church last Sunday. After a splendid supper the

young people engaged in various games for several hours. Among those present were Misses Gusta McFarland, Idele Harmonson, Helen Harmonson, Helen Metz, Elanora Metz, Leona Rehm, Frances Fehr, Susie Schneider, Leona Gipperich, Elsie Mazzoni, Elizabeth Mayer, Lottie Gehring, Clara, Rosa and Lena Conley; Messdames V. Lester, A. Harmonson, Mary and Loretta Conley, and Masters Theodore Lester, John Conley, Jr., Martin Dillman, Arthur Rehm, and Messrs. Val Lester, A. Dillman, A. Harmonson, J. Kaufman, Fred Herberger, George Schindler, John Conley and William Conley.

DEGREE TEAM

Of Division 4 Is Ready to Exemplify the New Ritual.

Although a heavy and steady rain was falling last Monday night, Division 4 of the A. O. U. held a fairly well attended meeting at Bertrand Hall. President John H. Hennessy and nearly all the officers were present. The Rev. Father Christ-mas, O. P., opened the meeting with prayer. The application of J. L. McDermott was received and Thomas Martin was elected to membership. John M. Brennan was obligated. The State assessment was ordered paid. The gavel and all the officers occupied their proper places. Division 4's degree team was practicing several times a week and was ready to exemplify the degrees whenever the occasion offered. The degree team will give its first exhibition at the joint initiation at Bertrand Hall on Sunday, June 13, and will in all probability officiate in the same capacity at the institution of the new division at Lexington in the near future.

MACKIN COUNCIL

Prepares to Wipe Out Its Last Debt and Members Rejoice.

Mackin Council's meeting Tuesday night was excellently well attended. President Louis J. Kieffer wielded the gavel and all the officers occupied their proper places. Vice President Thomas D. Clines reported that the performance of "Back to Town" had been the most successful of any undertaking in the history of the council. He stated that a nice sum would be added to the council treasury as a result.

A committee of three, made up of the President, Treasurer and Chairman of the House Committee, was named with instructions to liquidate the indebtedness of the council amounting to \$3,000 and interest. The sum has been on hand since the first of the year, but the note did not fall due until this month. After paying off the note a modest balance will be left exclusive of the receipts from "Back to Town."

A committee of twelve was appointed to devise ways and means for increasing the membership of the council. This committee will disclose its scheme at the smoker to be held on June 12. The meeting closed with an instructive address from Attorney Austin Walsh, whose subject was "Time."

WARM WELCOME

In Store for New Bishop When He Reaches Cleveland.

Both priests and laymen of Cleveland have made elaborate plans for the welcome to their new Bishop, the Right Rev. John Farrelly. Every detail of the program has been arranged with one exception—the people do not know when Bishop Farrelly will arrive. He intended originally to assume his new duties during the latter part of May, and arrangements were made accordingly. Later advice indicates that he will not leave Rome until the festivities attendant upon the golden jubilee of the American College are concluded. In this event it will be the latter part of June before he arrives.

Bishop Farrelly has expressed a desire to have his installation take place at a Pontifical high mass on Sunday morning, but has not indicated when Sunday. At his request there will be no sermon at the installation, but an address of welcome in behalf of the priests and people of the diocese will be delivered by the Rev. John T. O'Connell, LL. D., of Toledo.

A civic mass meeting will be held on the Monday evening following Bishop Farrelly's arrival. Mayor Johnson and other leading citizens will be invited to deliver addresses. On Tuesday evening the ladies of the various parishes will tender the new Bishop a reception.

PRESENTATION ACADEMY.

The Sisters of the Presentation Academy have issued invitations to their annual commencement exercises, which will be held at the academy. Fourth and Breckinridge streets, at 10 o'clock on the morning of Monday, June 14.

FIRST COMMUNION PARTY.

Little Miss Margaret Louise Sivori entertained a number of her friends at dinner last Sunday evening at her home, 502 East Market street, in honor of her first holy communion and confirmation. Miss Sivori was the recipient of many presents from her friends. The evening was spent by the young people in enjoyable vocal and musical selections.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AT ALTAR.

Silver Sacerdotal Jubilee of Rev. Father Charles P. Raffo to Be Religiously and Socially Observed at St. Charles Borromeo Church Next Week.

Well Beloved Pastor Will Receive Congratulations From Friends in Many Quarters of the State, Nation and Throughout the City.

The Rev. Charles P. Raffo will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood with a high mass at St. Charles Borromeo church, Twenty-seventh and Chestnut streets, at 10 o'clock next Thursday. He will not be alone in his celebration. He had planned to have a nice, quiet observance of the day, but his legion of friends among the clergy and laity determined otherwise. These people have been laboring for more than a month to make the celebration what it ought to be—a silver sacerdotal jubilee.

His friends among the clergy inveigled Father Raffo to undertake a little journey of some ten or twelve hours not long since, and while he was away the work was done, or at least it was planned. The men of the congregation had their meetings and the ladies had theirs. Charles J. O'Connor was made Chairman of the men's committee and P. M. O'Reilly Secretary. With them were chosen William Auerhach, William Borgman, A. Cassella, Thomas Cody, Farrell Curran, Thomas Feely, James L. Hackett, E. P. Lynch, John M. Mahony, Dr. H. A. O'Connor, S. M. Indro, P. H. Savage, Edward T. Tierney, Nicholas Weber and Lee R. Yates.

Miss Lee Small was chosen head of the ladies' committee with Miss Nellie Holland as Secretary and the following ladies to assist: Misses M. Beyer, K. Mcweeney and Rachel Lunnons and Messdames M. J. Carroll, P. T. Gans, H. C. Garhoff, L. J. Gerardin, E. Gross, L. C. Heck, C. A. Lilley, J. A. Miller, L. O'Hearn, S. M. Raffo, E. J. Slattery and E. Steadetter. John B. Sticker was named Treasurer for the committee of men and Miss M. Sticker for the ladies.

Charles P. Raffo was born in Louisville of Italian parentage on Washington's birthday, February 22, 1884. He received his primary education at the Cathedral parochial school under the tutelage of the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth and at the Presentation Academy, which was then on Fifth street. Later he received instruction from the Xavier Brothers in their institute on Fourth avenue. He enjoyed boyish sports and was every inch a boy. In those early days he was not only an admirer of baseball but was also one of the best amateur pitchers among the school



REV. CHARLES P. RAFFO.

boy of Arts in June, 1881. During his vacations he came home, played ball and enjoyed seeing others play ball. In September, 1881, the priest that was to be entered St. Thomas' Theological Seminary at Preston Park, near Louisville. From his earliest youth he had a vocation for the priesthood and at Preston Park he followed it to a successful conclusion.

He was ordained sub-deacon on May 25, 1884; deacon on June 2 following, and next day was elevated to the dignity of the priesthood. Father Raffo received all of the novices through the Right Rev. William George McCloskey. Almost immediately after his ordination Father Raffo was assigned to a rural mission at Ingersburg and incidentally had to cover territory in Breckinridge, Menard and Hancock counties. Fortunately Father Raffo was not left long in the rural districts, for in September, 1885, he was brought to Louisville to assist the late lamented Father Lawler at St. Pat-

rick's, and after three years of assiduous work he was sent to build a new church, St. Charles Borromeo, at Twenty-seventh and Chestnut streets. Father Raffo succeeded there as he had at school, at college, at the seminary, on the ball field. When he founded St. Charles Borromeo parish he was in the midst of a wilderness. Today there is no section of the city that surpasses it. Father Raffo has done more for the West End of Louisville than the Commercial Club, Board of Trade and all the real estate agencies combined. His personal magnetism attracted people to him, and when they came they remained. At present Father Raffo has one of the largest and most flourishing congregations in the city. His people love and reverence him and hope in the near future to be able to build a church commensurate with the needs of the congregation.

Father Raffo has a flourishing parochial school conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, and is the friend of the children as of the grown people. He loves to be with his people, he rejoices with them at marriage, christenings and merry makings; he comforts the sick and consoles the family in times of death and distress. In brief he is what the Irish call a "Soggarth aroon."

The celebration of the anniversary of Father Raffo's ordination will begin next Wednesday, when the children will pay him their respects. The celebration proper will be held on Thursday. Father Raffo will celebrate the solemn high mass at 10 o'clock and many of the clergy from his and other dioceses will be present. The Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey will occupy a throne in the sanctuary. The jubilee sermon will be preached by the Rev. Father Thomas A. Hyves, of Bowling Green, a life long friend of Father Raffo's. A largely augmented choir under the direction of Miss Maggie Gorman will render the music of the mass.

At noon the visiting clergy will be given a luncheon in the parochial school room and it is expected that at least seventy-five priests will gather at the festive board. The ladies of the congregation will provide and prepare the feast. Later the ladies and gentlemen will tender their felicitations to their beloved pastor.

DEVOTION

To the Blessed Sacrament Paid On Feast of Corpus Christi.

Celebration of the Day Dates Back to the Thirteenth Century.

Trinity at Great Feasts Follow Each Other Quite Rapidly.

ONCE HOLY-DAY OF OBLIGATION

Thursday, June 10, will be the feast of Corpus Christi, the body of Christ. It is no more a holy day of obligation in America, though it was for many years. However, it is still observed by pious Catholics everywhere as a day of great devotion, because it commemorates the institution of the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.

From apostolic times the Catholic church has celebrated the institution of the Eucharist on Holy Thursday. But since the church at that season is occupied with the consideration of Christ's passion, it was desirable that another day should be set apart as the feast of the Blessed Sacrament. In the year 1246 the Bishop of Liege ordered the day to be kept throughout his diocese.

About that time the heresy of Berengarius, which consisted in a denial of transubstantiation, arose, and in 1264 Pope Urban IV. published a bull commanding the celebration of the feast on the Thursday following the first Sunday after Pentecost. Pope John XXII. took great pains in 1266 to see that the celebration was observed throughout the church. The Council of Trent speaks of Corpus Christi as a triumph over heresy.

The custom of carrying the Blessed Sacrament in procession on Corpus Christi has been almost from the first a recognized part of the ceremonial. It was not, as many able writers think, actually instituted by Urban IV. The office which is still used was composed by St. Thomas of Aquin at the bidding of Urban IV.

Corpus Christi is the third of a series of great feasts that follow in rapid succession. Tomorrow, commemorates the descent of the Holy Ghost upon the apostles and disciples. The following Sunday is Trinity Sunday and commemorates the mystery of the Trinity God, Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Fol-

AUGUST

Will Come Before There Is Chance For Birrell Land Bill.

British Budget Causes Great Commotion in United Kingdom.

Ireland Taxed Much Higher Than England For Dreadnaughts.

ERIN IS WITHOUT COMMERCE

With the German war scare as the matter of paramount interest before the British Parliament, the Hon. T. P. O'Connor sees little hope for anything regarding the new Irish land bill before August. In his letter to the Chicago Tribune under date of May 22 he says among other things: "The Cumann's mission of disruption under the pretense of uniting the Ancient Order of Hibernians ends in an abrupt fizzle."

"The death of George Meredith robs Ireland of one of the most powerful of its friends among the Englishmen. Welsh and Irish by descent, Meredith always wrote strongly in favor of home rule, and I attended the funeral services in Westminster to represent the Irish party and Irish gratitude. My latest news with regard to Birrell's bill is quite hopeful. Birrell will bring in the bill on alternate nights with the budget, partly to give Lloyd-George a rest, as he fears he may break down under the strain of gigantic work on the budget, partly to forward the measure. The landlords are in a better mood and the deal between them, the Government and the Irish party will be made probably in August."

"I always thought that there would be a terrible fight over the budget, but the budget is bigger, more drastic and more daring than I ever anticipated, and the fight accordingly will be more terrific than I thought. Lloyd-George has managed to get some of the most powerful interests in the country united in hostility to him, and a storm rages about his head such as has never broken before over a Chancellor of the Exchequer."

"America's new weekly paper published by the Jesuits in New York City, throws more light on the British budget. Says America: 'All classes in Ireland are united against those portions of the British budget that bear heavily on that country. Mr. Redmond and Lord Dunraven are

RECENT DEATHS.

The funeral of Richard C. Lech-ridge, who died at his home, 216 East Main street, last Saturday afternoon, took place from St. Michael's church Tuesday morning. The deceased was fifty-four years old and was held in esteem by all who knew him.

Miss Elizabeth Malone, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Malone, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alice Sheeley, Eleventh and Magnolia avenues, Monday evening. The funeral took place from St. Patrick's church on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Welsh have the sympathy of many friends in their grief over the death of their seven-year-old daughter Annie, who passed away Monday evening at the family residence, 730 East Green street. The interment took place in St. Louis cemetery on Wednesday.

ROMAN RUMOR.

A Roman correspondent of the secular daily press says that it is reported that Pope Pius X. contemplates abolishing consistories for the appointment of Cardinals, appointing them by brief or bull as in the case of Bishops. A consistory, says the correspondent, is the necessary matter of form. New Cardinals are nominated by the Pope, and they are notified by the Papal Secretary of State before the consistory meets.

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at one in their protest against the indirect taxation which will be 23 per cent. higher in Ireland than in England. Ireland's tax, declared Mr. Redmond, is chiefly on the food of her people. A Government Commission has established that she pays \$12,500,000 per year beyond her due; and now that she is trying to rebuild her industries the Government not only lends her no assistance but discriminates against her in favor of England and her colonies, whose commerce they protest should pay for the Dreadnaughts, not Ireland, which has been left no commerce to need protection."

GROWING OLD

Yet Cardinal Satolli Is Still Young in Heart.

Cardinal Satolli, for several years Apostolic Delegate in the United States, will celebrate his seventieth birthday on July 21. He will allow the anniversary to pass quietly, reserving the more elaborate celebration for the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination, which will take place in 1912. In 1912 he will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of his episcopacy; in 1914 his seventy-fifth birthday; and in 1915 the twentieth anniversary of his red hat.

Cardinal Satolli is called the "American Cardinal" on account of his intense and sincere love for the United States, of which he, better than any other member of the Sacred College, understands the spirit and values to its full extent the importance and the influence which our country will exercise in the political and religious development of the world.

Among the offices held by Cardinal Satolli during his long ecclesiastical career he recalls none with greater delight than that of his mission as Apostolic Delegate to the United States. He is much liked by American priests and prelates, and his residence at the historic Llerena palace is a center of American Catholic interest in Rome.

JUNE WEDDING.

Joyous Peals From Church Bells to Greet Nuptial Ceremony.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Nadorff and Edward J. Schneider will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony at St. Anthony's church at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, June 8. The Rev. Father George Schneider, of Waterloo, Kas., will perform the ceremony. Father Schneider is a brother of the prospective groom and will officiate at the solemn nuptial mass that will follow the marriage ceremony. At the mass he will be assisted by the Rev. Fathers Leo, Bonaventura and Scraphin.

The bride will wear a gown of white duchess satin and will carry a shower bouquet of bride's roses. Miss Philomena Nadorff, a sister of the bride-elect, will be the bridesmaid. She will wear a gown of pink messaline and will carry pink roses. The maids of honor will be Misses Philomena Schneider, a sister of the groom-to-be, and Miss Anna Coggswell. Miss Schneider will wear a gown of green messaline and Miss Coggswell yellow messaline. Adam Dittmeier will be the best man and Frank Nadorff and Albert Kippes will be ushers.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Schneider will be tendered a breakfast and reception at the home of the bride's parents, 1314 Willow avenue. Later in the day the happy young couple will take a short bridal tour, and on their return will reside at 1314 Willow avenue. Miss Nadorff's bridesmaids are a gifted daughter of Henry Nadorff, and the fortunate groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Kasimer Schneider.

AGED PRELATES.

Many American Bishops Have Passed Allotted Years.

There are fifteen prelates in the American hierarchy who are over seventy years old, and two of them are past eighty. Our own Bishop, the Right Rev. William George McCloskey, dean of the hierarchy, is well on in his eighty-sixth year. The Kansas City, was eighty years old on May 10.

The Right Rev. Patrick J. Ryan, Archbishop of Philadelphia, is now in his seventy-ninth year, and the Right Rev. Bishop John Foley, of Detroit, is in his seventy-sixth year. His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons is rounding out his seven-fiftieth year, and Bishop Chatard, of Indianapolis, is in his seventy-fifth year. Bishop John J. Hogan, of Kansas City, is also in the seventy-fifth class.

Other veteran prelates are Bishop Peter Vredigger, of Brownsville, Texas, seventy-four; Bishop Henry J. Richter, of Grand Rapids, seventy-two; Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Bishop Trobec of St. Cloud, Minn., and Bishop Henry Gabriels of Ogdensburg, are all in their seventy-first year. Archbishop John J. Keane of Dulague, Bishop John E. Fitzmaurice of Erie and Bishop Thomas A. Burke of Albany, are in their seventieth year.

STRICTLY BUSINESS SESSION.

Division 3, A. O. U., held a fairly well attended meeting Thursday night of last week with President Patrick T. Sullivan in the chair. One application was received, and Edward McDonald was reported on the sick list. A generous donation was made to the convent of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd. The County Board was allowed \$30.20 for the State assessment. During the evening many of the members made instructive addresses.

SCANDALS

And Spirit of Nepotism Infect the Reform Republican Administration.

One Entire Family Gets Its Dally Bread From Public Taxpayers.

Attempt Made to Cover Up the Jambooree of a City Official.

JANITORS AND THEIR SALARIES

Did the present city reform administration, assisted by the Republican machine, try to conceal another scandal in its happy family this week? The answer from those in authority and with full knowledge of the facts will be appreciated by all readers of the Kentucky Irish American.

The facts in the case are that a young man was drunk and disorderly in the red light district last Monday night and became so boisterous that he was placed under arrest by Patrolmen Frank Fultz and Charles Kelly. At central station he gave the name of Fred L. Standford and the name of Fred L. Standford was so registered. He was charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Fred L. Standford proved to be Frank L. Stratton, who, after an absence of years in New York City, was recently appointed City Auditor. He was counted upon as another exponent of reform. In the Police Court on Tuesday morning the case against Stratton, alias Standford, was quickly and quietly disposed of by entering a fine of \$5 and expending the fine. The arresting officers and their witnesses waited to testify, only to learn that the case had already been disposed of.

It is wonderful how public spirited these reformers are and how some families want all the offices. The spirit of nepotism prevails in the Republican ranks in Louisville. Alderman Heyburn, a family connection of the Belknap, presided at the recent Republican city and county convention. Morris Belknap was nominated for Park Commissioner. Louis Allen, one of Belknap's nephews, was nominated for a Circuit Judge-ship, while his brother, Charley Allen, was nominated for the Legislature. Little Dick James, formerly a member of the reform movement of Public Safety, was an employee of the Belknaps, and so was Robert J. Foster.

There is still another Republican family that prays the present city administration "give us the day our Dally bread." George A. Dally is a Magistrate; Eugene M. Dally is the new Assistant Chief License Inspector; John is a roddman in the City Engineer's bureau, and Melville E. Dally is a sanitary inspector in the City Health Department. Until Tuesday Eugene M. Dally was a member of the lower board of the General Council. Several weeks ago he disposed of his drug store and told his friends that his business as Councilman was no longer to prevent his paying any attention to the drug store. He got no salary as a Councilman, but will draw \$2,400 a year as Chief Assistant License Inspector.

By the way, D. W. Holmes was turned down by the administration in his search for a political job. For years Holmes has had an ambition to be County Jailor. Several times he went after it again, but was never in the running. Then he sought to be one of the Assistant License Inspectors at \$125 a month. As usual he was doomed to disappointment. The Louisville School Board is still in a turmoil concerning janitors' salaries. Business Manager Jones thinks the salaries of some of the janitors are too high, and at least half of the Trustees believe the salaries should remain as they are.

Certainly the laborer is worthy of his hire, and the people have no heard the janitors' side of the story. In the first place no janitor gets \$2,000 a year as has been stated in the daily papers. In the second place every janitor who employs help, and many of them have to do it, pay their helpers out of their own pockets. Besides that they must provide brooms, soap, mops and other materials used in keeping the buildings in order. Business Manager Jones would cut the janitors' salaries to create new offices and increase the expense on taxpayers.

The present city administration and the Republican machine pretended to be the friends of organized labor. How have they shown their friends? Geanally, not by refusing to endorse Police Court Bailiff James Roberts by giving him a second nomination.

RECEIVE TWO SACRAMENTS.

The Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey administered the sacrament of confirmation to a large class at Sacred Heart church last Tuesday. Tomorrow the children will receive their first holy communion from the Rev. Father Patrick Walsh.

WORK IN FOURTH DEGREE.

For the first time in Louisville the Knights of Columbus will exemplify the fourth degree at the new home of Louisville Council on Fourth avenue, near York street, next Monday. Robert A. Watson, Master of the Fourth Degree, will conduct the ceremonies. Representatives from every council in the State will attend. Col. John T. Donovan, State Deputy of the order, and Col. John J. Dorian will head a delegation of twenty from Paducah.

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CONGRATULATIONS.

The Kentucky Irish American offers its hearty congratulations to the Rev. Father Charles P. Raffo on the occasion of attaining his twenty-fifth anniversary as a priest. Father Raffo is not only popular in his own parish, but throughout the city and diocese. He is noted for his labors, for his ministering care of his flock, for his learning and for his ability as a pulpit orator. He is honored wherever he is known and his admirers are not limited to people of Catholic faith.

Nine years ago the degree of Master of Arts was conferred upon him by Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, the "Mother of Bishops," and those who reverence and love Father Raffo hope that the honorary degree thus conferred only foreshadows the future.

Once again we offer our congratulations and pray ad multos annos.

VIOLATION OF LIBERTY.

None knows better than the venerable editor of the St. Louis Western Watchman that prohibition does not prohibit, and for forty years the cause of temperance and total abstinence has had no stancher advocate than this same Father D. S. Phelan. In his issue of May 20 he calls attention to conditions in Missouri, and as usual calls a spade a spade. While advocating temperance and total abstinence Father Phelan has never believed in making men good by legislation. On the contrary, he is in the fight against the proposed prohibition enactments. Hear him:

"The argument that must be used to convince intelligent people must not be directed to their pocketbooks. We hold that the manufacturer of spirits and their sale is a natural right. Man has the ownership of his land and all that it can produce. To curtail the husbandman's use of his land is to deprive him of some of its ownership. A farmer has as much right to raise grapes as he has to raise potatoes; and he can do what he will with his crop. To forbid a farmer selling the product of his land is to take away from him the use of that land. Whatever a man owns he can dispose of. A thing a man is forbidden to sell he does not wholly own.

"Prohibition is a visionary and Utopian measure of reform. When a State ceases to manufacture spirits it begins to turn out hypocrites and lawbreakers. A prohibition enactment is not one that its authors hope or expect to enforce. It never has been enforced and never will be. The men who preach prohibition do not practice total abstinence, and they know they are setting up a tyrannous sham. They would go farther than the foes of racing. These did not make the raising of horses illegal and they did not confiscate the land laid out in race courses. The prohibitionists would not allow the land to bear or the owner to dispose of his crop."

What Father Phelan says is true and the ardent prohibition advocates should pause and ponder over his advice.

DEPLORING DIVORCE.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in session at Denver last week heard the following report from the Administrative Agencies Committee: "Although it is a fact to be deplored that the scandal and sin and sorrow resulting from the laxity of law that makes divorce and speedy remarriage possible show sad and shameful continuance, and that the efforts to resist and lessen these evils that threaten the purity and permanence of the family life, the stability of the State and the life and power of the church seem unavailing, yet the united efforts of the churches, national and State officials and organizations of the Bar Association of the United States, and conspicuously the faithful and persistent work of the National Divorce Congress, which invited the representatives of the interchurch conference to confer with it, encourage us to believe that the movement has made great progress and to hope that reforms will be accomplished which will in time wipe out much of the dishonor and disgrace that make Christian America conspicuous in permitting a laxity that makes our record our shame."

Thus one by one the sects separated from the Catholic church see and deplore the evil of divorce. Divorce was the foundation of the Episcopal creed, because the Catholic church would not allow Henry VIII. to put away one wife and take

another. Calvinism, Methodism and the various other isms and schisms had their origin from divorce. Now the thinking leaders of these sects want to abandon the cause that gave them a little brief notoriety. The Catholic church never has and never will countenance divorce.

WHY SO SILENT?

When it comes to Republican scandals at the City Hall the editor of the Evening Post seems to be applying himself to a post-graduate course in the school of applied silence. If it were new and true why did the Post not say anything about the Stratton episode. A few weeks ago the Post held up the new City Auditor as a model of all that was good. Honest, now, did Mr. Stratton ever vote in Louisville?

WHOLESOME ADVICE.

A writer in the May issue of the Institute Journal gives the following wholesome and timely advice: "Some things serve to emphasize more than others a point. If you have not been through the chairs of a Y. M. I. council or perchance skipped a few steps to the head of an organization, maybe you can not appreciate what it involves. I know from what I have seen and experienced, and know the sacrifices of time and often sacrifices of personal interest that are endured. Yet what do you know of the leaders, makers or workers of your own organization?"

"One can sit and enumerate a hundred Presidents—now past Presidents—of various councils of the Y. M. I. in San Francisco alone, many of whom have lost interest in the ordinary undertakings of the very organizations of which they have at times been the guiding spirits. Why should it be? The attraction is simply gone. More absorbing undertakings, and more alluring occupations divert men's minds. In the course of events interest changes."

What this correspondent addresses to the Y. M. I. of California may be equally well addressed to many other fraternal orders in this and other cities. Too frequently we see men who have worked hard to attain the Presidency of an organization lose all interest in it after their term expires. This is not as it should be, but it is nevertheless true. As long as the organization remains true to its purposes and true to God and country the man who has been honored should continue to honor and support it.

CATHOLIC HOMES.

The home is the foundation of society throughout Christendom, and when the home is not as it should be there you will find a weak link in the chain of society. The Catholic church has always taught this. The home of Jesus, Mary and Joseph has been held up as an example for others to follow for nineteen centuries. There is no better example for us to follow, but from time to time, as manners and customs change, we must hear new advice, though ever keeping in mind the home of the Holy Family. A recent pastoral letter from the Right Rev. Bishop C. P. Maes, of Covington, is of interest to every Catholic man or woman who believes in the preservation of the home. He says in part:

"It is a lamentable fact that the generality of our Catholic homes are no longer the sanctuaries wherein young men and young women dwell apart from the dangers of a worldly life, and are kept away from its enticing pleasures until adult age. The almost universal emancipation from parental control, at an age when youths stand most in need of it, has had a deleterious effect upon our Catholic young men.

"You may say that it is not criminal for parents to procure such enjoyment for their young children, and precluding the occasion of sin, you may be right in your contention. But tell me are the plastic minds of children proof against such allurements? Fathers and mothers, by all means in your power preserve intact the authority which God has given you over your children; preserve them from the modern spirit of over-indulgence; keep them away from frivolous amusements as long as you can."

Bishop Maes has imbued all his clergy with the necessity of making the Catholic home what it should be, and one of his priests, the Rev. Father Ignatius M. Ahmann, writes: "Let the part of the family devotions consist in reading, especially from the Gospels and Epistles or from the small Bible history; also from the Catechism the Lives

of the Saints and other books of instruction and edification. Above all have a good Catholic newspaper. Support the press; it has an aim similar to that of the priesthood."

The Louisville Times, Courier Journal, Herald and Anzeiger were cognizant of the escapade and arrest of the City Auditor. Each of these papers pretend to wage war against the present city administration. They are certainly poor sentinels to allow the enemy to take away their weapons.

The Syracuse Journal says: "Not only has the history of the Catholic church in Syracuse been given a beautiful chapter by the consecration of Monsignor John Grimes as Conductor Bishop, but religious effort has been given a greater impulse by the event."

The Louisville Board of Waterworks seems dead anxious to spend the people's money. Millions have been spent on a filter plant that so far fails to filter. Now it is the intention to build a seven-story office building. What next?

If you have not complied with the regulations of the church regarding your Easter duty, do it now. One week from tomorrow will be Trinity Sunday, the last day of grace.

VETERAN'S BIRTHDAY.

On last Sunday a surprise was tendered the birthday of one of Louisville's oldest German-Americans and a veteran of the Louisville Volunteer Fire Department. The affair was arranged in honor of his seventieth birthday. Mr. Steinmetz was born on May 22, 1839, at Theinhardt, in Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany. He came to Louisville with his parents in 1852 and has resided here ever since. When quite a youth he became a member of Louisville's volunteer fire corps and is now President of the association. At the age of seventy he is hale and hearty. His children and friends arranged the surprise for him and the dinner was a marvel of the culinary art. The celebration was held at his home, 932 East Oak street, and among those present were his four daughters and their husbands, Messrs. and Mesdames August Schubert, Adam Hoertz, Ben Dadd and Ed Fisher, and the following friends: Messrs. Greenwald, Frank Lauffer and Mrs. Mary Bickel and Misses Carrie Dadd, Edwin Greenwald, Ida Faller, Bertha Fisher, and Messrs. Pius Meleher, Otto Redle, John Blumhoffer, Ed Targel, Henry Rose, and Masters John Greenwald and Burnie Freeman.

DANGEROUS DECAY.

A cablegram from Berlin says that the great Cathedral of Cologne is crumbling to pieces, and that it will take whole decades of years and millions of dollars to restore the edifice to anything like its original splendor. Stone after stone has peeled away, and unless the destruction is checked irreparable consequences will be unavoidable.

CATHOLIC DISCOVERER.

During the coming tercentenary celebration of the discovery of Lake Champlain it is probable that steps will be taken to erect a \$50,000 memorial to the great Catholic discoverer. The celebration will be held during the week beginning July 4. The proposed monument will be erected on the northwest shore of the Isle La Motte.

WILL VISIT ROME.

The Right Rev. Francis S. Chatard, Bishop of Indianapolis, has made every preparation to start for Rome next week. Bishop Chatard was the second President of the American College, having succeeded our Bishop McCloskey. On his trip he will be accompanied by the Rev. Father P. H. Rowan, his private secretary.

SHERIDAN BREAKS RECORD.

Martin J. Sheridan made a new world's record in throwing the discus at the Pastime Athletic Club's grounds, New York, last Sunday. He hurled the metal plate 135 feet 11 inches, the previous record was 125 feet 11 inches and was held by M. F. Horr, another member of the New York Irish-American Athletic Club.

FIVE JUBILIARIES.

If they live until December 20 next five priests of the Brooklyn diocese will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their ordination. The prospective jubilarians are Rev. Fathers James J. McAtee, Matthew J. Tierney, John G. Fitzgerald, John F. O'Hara and Charles H. Dougherty.

CARDINAL QUITE ILL.

According to cable advice received this week Cardinal George Kopp, Bishop of Breslau, Germany, is very ill of pneumonia. At last accounts his condition was precarious. Cardinal Kopp was born at Dunderstadt in 1837, and was created and proclaimed Cardinal in 1893.

LORISTO'S COMMENCEMENT.

The Kentucky Irish American is in receipt of an invitation to the ninety-seventh annual commencement exercises of Loretto Academy, which will be held on the morning of Thursday, June 10. Many Louisville people have signified their intention of being present at the exercises.

DOUBLE JUBILEE.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Maloney, of Covington, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding at their home in that city last Saturday night. On the same occasion Mr. Maloney celebrated his twenty-fifth anniversary as a compositor on the Cincinnati Enquirer.

HOLY ORDERS.

Archbishop Moeller will confer holy orders at the Cincinnati Cathedral June 15. Nine young men will be raised to the dignity of the priesthood.

SOCIETY.

J. P. Hanley, of Crescent Hill, is sojourning at French Lick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman are visiting in Washington and Philadelphia.

Louis Bauer and family, of St. Matthews, are sojourning at Martinsville, Ind.

Miss Margaret Malone returned last Saturday from a visit to friends in Cincinnati.

Miss Teresa Blig, of St. Matthews, has gone to Martinsville to try the healing waters.

Mrs. John T. Malone and family will leave for their cottage at Bay View, Mich., on June 11.

Miss Adelaide Crush will be the hostess next Friday at a handkerchief shower in honor of Miss Allene Ferris.

Hon. J. T. O'Neal and family are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. George D. Wright at their summer home in Pewee Valley.

Miss Helen Gorman, of Portland, entertained a few of her young friends last Sunday in honor of her first communion.

Miss Genevieve Hackett, daughter of Col. James L. Hackett, is spending the week at St. Catherine's Academy, near Springfield.

Mrs. Irvine Abell and baby will spend the month of June with Mrs. Abell's mother, Mrs. William Hartlag, at Lexington.

John Schalka, who had been seriously ill for several weeks, is able to be out again, to the delight of his many friends.

Judge Henry S. Barker and wife returned to Frankfort Monday after spending several days with friends and relatives in Louisville.

AD SOCIETY.

Miss Mary Fraley, of Crescent Hill, has as her guest Miss Ida Kearns, of Birmingham, Ala.

Frank Kelly, of St. Louis, spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. Bridget Kelly, of 225 West Spring street, New Albany.

Miss Jane Gable gave a handkerchief shower Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Selma Pfeiffer, whose marriage to Joseph H. Lex will take place on June 16.

Meyer H. Hipp, who has been ill during the past year, is now confined to his bed at his home on Chestnut street, near Floyd. His many friends are hoping for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Charles Kremer, of Louisville, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bain, of Lexington, have returned to their respective homes after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Fontaine Kremer on the Bardstown road.

Miss Mary Jane McBride and Frank Pison will be united in matrimony at the Cathedral of the Assumption next Tuesday. The bride is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McBride.

Philip Ackerman, General Manager of the Seac & Ackerman Brewing Company and a Director of the Central Consumers' Company, is in Chicago on a ten days' trip, during which he will combine business and pleasure.

Miss Dora Oeswein and Richard Taylor, popular young people of South Louisville, will be united in marriage at Holy Name church, the Rev. Father John T. O'Connor officiating, on the morning of Wednesday, June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hantz, who were married at St. Mary Magdalen's church in this city several weeks ago, have begun housekeeping at Pensacola, Fla. Mrs. Hantz was formerly Miss Clara E. Gorman, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gorman.

Miss Eleanor M. Weiss and Louis Fossee, Jr., will be united in matrimony at Holy Cross church at 3:30 o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, June 16. The bride-elect is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Weiss and is deservedly popular in Catholic society circles.

Miss Wilhelmina Virginia O'Meara and Charles E. Robertson will be joined in wedlock by the Rev. Father John T. O'Connor at Holy Name church on the morning of Wednesday, June 9. Both young people are well and favorably known in South Louisville and will begin housekeeping in Laurel Court.

Miss Allene Elizabeth Ferris and Gustavus D. Crain will be united in matrimony at St. Mary Magdalen's church at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, June 2. The Rev. Father William Gausepohl will perform the ceremony. Both young people are well and favorably known, but on account of a recent death in the bride's family no invitations have been issued.

Miss Leta Whitton Bierach had several prominent out of town people as her guests during the opera "Black to Town." Among them were Miss Alice Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich.; George Atkinson, of Earlinton, Ky.; W. L. Moss, of Pineville, Ky., and Julius Ratterman, of Cincinnati, all prominent coal merchants, and C. E. Baedings, manager of the Home Telephone Company at Frankfort.

Miss Pearl Leist and Joseph Schmitt were united in matrimony at St. Mary's church, New Albany, at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. The Rev. Father George G. Borrjes officiated and celebrated the nuptial mass. After the ceremony the happy couple held an all-day reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leist, 1234 Clark street. They have begun housekeeping at 1313 Culberson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Ford announce the approaching marriage of

their niece, Miss Anna Frances Tierney, to Frank John Vetter. The wedding will take place on the morning of June 23 at St. John's church, Clay and Walnut streets. The bride-elect is a charming young lady of the East End and is beloved by all her acquaintances on account of her sweet disposition and winsome ways. Mr. Vetter is a promising young business man and has a host of friends throughout the city.

Miss Clara Cotel Henry, of Madison, Ind., and Henry A. Buddecke, of Louisville, will be united in matrimony at St. Mary's church, Madison, next Thursday morning. Miss Alice Henry, of Madison, will be the maid of honor and Miss Alice Buddecke, of Louisville, and Miss Emma Nortman, of Newport, will be the bridesmaids. Charles Buddecke, of Louisville, will be the best man. Albert Roth, of Paducah, and Albert J. Jesse, of Madison, will be the ushers. After a brief honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Buddecke will take up their residence in Louisville.

ORIGIN OF WORD.

Etymology of Mass Has Been Traced to Old Hebrew.

The word "mass" in its various forms is found in nearly all languages. It is everywhere under the blue canopy of heaven this word is used to denote that great central act of Christian worship known as the sacrifice of the mass. In Portugal the mass is called missa; the Danes, Germans and French call it messe. In Spain, South America and Mexico it is missa. In every part of the United States and the British empire it is called mass.

The etymology of this word has long been a mooted question. Many eminent theologians and philologists, from St. Thomas Aquinas down, have written on the subject, but not one of them, as far as the present writer is aware, ever traced the word mass to the Hebrew word maseath, which signifies the elevation or lifting up of the hands whilst offering sacrifice to God, says a Catholic exchange.

In the Old Testament the mass was foreshadowed (Gen. 14:18) and foretold (Mal. 1:11). In the New Testament we find it promised (St. John 4:23, 6:54, 6:57), and celebrated by the first apostles (Acts 13:2).

Now the first apostles were Hebrews, and the Hebrew word for the elevation of the consecrated host in the mass is "maseath." This word is found in the second verse of the 140th Psalm in the Hebrew Bible: "Let my prayer be directed as incense in Thy sight: the elevation of my hands (maseath) as evening sacrifice."

The word mass therefore was in all probability first applied to the daily sacrifice of the New Testament by the Christian Jews of the early ages, who were accustomed to witness the elevation of the priest's anointed hands in sacrifice (maseath) every day, immediately after the consecration, when the bread of earth became the living bread from heaven and the blood of the grapes became the blood of the true Vine, Jesus Christ.

BISHOP OFFICIATED.

Large classes of children received their first holy communion at St. Anthony's, St. John's, St. Paul's and the Church of Our Lady last Sunday morning. In the afternoon the Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey administered the sacrament to classes at St. Anthony's and St. John's churches.

CLOSING EXERCISES.

The closing exercises of St. Columba's parochial school, Thirty-third and market streets, will take place Wednesday, June 16, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Refreshments will be served at the rectory after each performance.

FIRST COMMUNICANTS.

The Rev. Father John O'Connell, pastor of St. Augustine's church, Jeffersonville, administered first holy communion to a class of thirty children last Sunday morning. The church was crowded with the parents and friends of the little ones.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION.

The Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey has directed that a collection be taken up at all the masses in every church in the diocese tomorrow for the sick and disabled priests. No doubt our people will be generous according to their means.

FELL FROM CAR.

Patrick Ward, a well known resident of Jeffersonville, fell while alighting from a car at the interurban station in that city Friday and sustained severe injuries. Fortunately he is now on the road to recovery.

FORTY HOURS' PRAYER.

Forty Hours' prayer will begin at St. Columba's church at the 10 o'clock mass tomorrow, and the Rev. Father Kallagher will be assisted by several other priests. The sanctuary will be handsomely decorated for the occasion.

DECEASED PRIEST WAS HERE.

Word was received in Lexington Monday that the late Father James P. Barry, who until his death was pastor of St. Paul's church, was held to an estate in Ireland valued at about \$25,000.

ENJOYS A REST.

Officer Patrick Hessian is spending his ten days' vacation at Tell City, Ind.

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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.

The Hibernians at Brockton, Mass., will soon have their new home and hall paid for.

Division 3 will meet Thursday night and President Sullivan expects a large attendance.

The three divisions of the order at New Britain, Conn., have taken steps toward securing their own home.

Minnesota Hibernians have a six-team baseball league and each team is striving to win the pennant.

Three more divisions in Philadelphia have been enrolled in the Federation of Catholic societies.

With the addition of juvenile divisions and girl corps the crop of future members of the order in Connecticut is exceptionally bright.

When any division takes in \$10 at a meeting and expends \$15, and the habit gets to be chronic, one can readily see the division's finish.

Wednesday night the Ladies' Auxiliary will meet in its new quarters in Falls City Hall and make final arrangements for the forthcoming euchre.

At the last regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of New Britain, Conn., thirty new members were initiated and twenty-five applications received.

Every division should be well represented at the joint initiation which will take place two weeks from tomorrow. The degree work will be a surprise.

Division 1 will meet Tuesday night and an interesting report will be heard from the committee arranging for the annual outing at Phoenix Hill Park on July 5.

Con J. Ford, President of Division 2, wants a crowd at the meeting of Division 2 next Friday night, and wants the members to bring as many applications as possible.

The four divisions of the order at Manchester, N. H., will give an outing and field day at Varick's Park on July 5. One of the big attractions will be a Marathon. The County Board has appointed a committee.

Daughters of Erin, Division 2, as the Ladies' Auxiliary of Superior, Wis., is called, will hold a memorial celebration at the Sacred Heart auditorium tonight. Veterans of the civil and Spanish-American wars will be present at the exercises.

National President Matthew Cummings and Rev. Father Philip O'Donnell, the American envoys to the Hibernian Congress in Ireland, are expected to reach Boston next Thursday, and Boston Hibernians are planning a royal welcome home.

One of the greatest athletic events ever held in Boston or New England will be conducted under the auspices of the Suffolk County Board on Labor day. An active committee of twenty chosen from the sixty-one divisions has charge of the arrangements.

County President Patrick Welsh has announced that the four local divisions will hold a joint initiation at Bertrand Hall at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of Sunday, June 13. The degrees will be exemplified by a well trained degree team from Division 4.

MEET ALL PROFESSIONALS.

The Portland Stars baseball club, who have an unbroken record of victories for this season, will meet the All Professionals of Cincinnati tomorrow afternoon at the Portland park. The local boys are making quite a reputation for themselves in this section, having defeated the best teams from Indianapolis, Evansville and the Bluegrass League, which is quite an advertisement for Louisville's home product of ball players. "Babe" Ryan, the regular umpire, certainly is in a class by himself as an able and efficient official.

ST. LEO'S LAWN FETE.

A grand lawn fete and outing for the benefit of St. Leo's church will be given on the church grounds at Highland Park on the afternoon and evening of Thursday, July 29. Many charitably disposed people have made handsome donations to the Rev. Father Fitzgerald and the articles thus presented will be disposed of through a combination book. Refreshments will be served on the grounds.

REMOVED TO NEW YORK.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilkes and family have removed to New York to locate permanently. Mr. Wilkes has been engaged as general manager of a large woolen manufacturing company. During his many years in Louisville Mr. Wilkes was prominent in Catholic circles, and an active member of the Knights of Columbus.

MENDING VERY SLOWLY.

The many friends of Tom Hart, who was recently injured in an automobile accident, regret to learn that he is not recovering as rapidly as was expected. He suffered a triple fracture of the left leg below the knee. It did not knit properly and the surgeon found it necessary to rebreak and reset it.

LAWN FESTIVAL.

Holy Trinity congregation will give a lawn festival on the church grounds, Kentucky and Dupuy streets, next Monday and Tuesday afternoon and evening. Supper will be served each evening. The people are very anxious to help their pastor, the Rev. Father P. A. Berresheim, in his good work.

ENGLISH LITERATURE.

The Rev. Dr. John Talbot Smith has completed a month's series of lectures at Notre Dame University. In fact there were two series, one to the college students and one to the preparatory class. Father Smith crippled the students by his fascinating and picturesque presentation and by his wonderful fluency of diction.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Denver Council has a first class baseball club.

New York State Council will hold its next annual meeting at Niagara Falls.

Members of Milwaukee Council received holy communion in a body last Sunday morning.

The council at Appleton, Wis., has adopted the plan to raise an endowment fund of \$500,000 for the Catholic University.

Cincinnati Council will initiate a large class on June 6, and District Deputy Crowley, of Cincinnati, will put on the third degree.

Pere Marquette Council repeated its minstrel performance with great success Tuesday night and gave the profits to the Cathedral Woman's Institute.

The St. Louis Choral Club will give a concert at Kansas City next October for the benefit of the Christian Brothers' new college, now under construction.

MEMBERS TO JOFFIFY.

Mackin Council will give a smoker to its members at the club house on the evening of Tuesday, June 15, in celebration of the liquidation of the council's indebtedness. It promises to be one of Mackin's greatest social events.

DRAWING A COUNTRY.

The total emigration from Ireland from May 1, 1851, to December 31, 1908, was 4,126,130. This almost equals the present population of that country, namely, 4,371,436.

IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of
the Recent Events Culled
From Exchanges.

The late Daniel McGiff, of Larne, County Antrim, left an estate valued at \$5,000.

Fermoy Urban Council has appointed Jeremiah Mahoney rate collector.

Sylvester Ryan, fairly-two years old, was killed by a train near New Ross, County Wexford.

Recently twenty young men and women left Killyshandra and Miltown districts, County Cavan, for America.

John Leader, well known in the commercial circle of Queenstown, died recently and his death is generally mourned.

By a majority of nine to two the Portadown Town Council has forbidden the use of the Town Hall for boxing contests.

Ernest Hardy, a farmer of the Bohen neighborhood, County Galway, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun.

P. J. Doherty, of Drumcondra road, has been elected to fill a vacancy in the office of the Secretary of the Dublin County Council.

At Greenwich, N. Y., State President Stephen Brown was an interested spectator at the initiation of a large class last week.

Thomas McCann was killed near New Ross by the overturning of the vehicle which he was driving. A wife and five children survive him.

Five men, the last batch of prisoners committed for cattle driving at Ballyphilip, County Tipperary, have been released from Clonmel jail.

A farm of 132 acres owned by Miss Eliza Waugh, near Clonakilly, County Cork, and subject to an annuity of \$340, has been sold at auction for \$9,500.

Owing to his impending removal to Cappamore, the Rev. Father John C. Nolan has resigned the chairmanship of the Limerick Committee of Agriculture and Technical Instruction.

The Right Rev. Dr. Tohill, Bishop of Down and Connor, dedicated the new church at Whitehead, County Antrim. It is the first church in Ireland named in honor of Our Lady of Lourdes.

Limerick District Council has adopted a resolution in favor of building a bridge over the Shannon at Castleconnell. Its estimated cost will be \$60,000, and will be shared by Limerick and Clare.

Miss Hannah Keane, daughter of Michael Keane, of Cappagh, County Waterford, has been received into the Order of Mercy at Waterford. Her name in religion will be Sister Mary Joseph Xavier.

The Rev. Father O'Neill, a native of Limerick city, and who was for several years on the mission in New Zealand, has joined the Redemptorists and is now a member of the community at Dundalk.

Judge Overend has promised to provide a Downy version of the Holy Bible for use at the Magherafelt sessions, County Derry, hereafter. Catholic witnesses declined to take an oath on the Protestant Bible.

The Rev. Father Patrick Murphy has been appointed in pastoral charge of Templemore and Moyne to succeed the late Father Downey, and the Rev. Father John J. Nolan, of Cappamore, will succeed Father Murphy in the Tipperary curacy.

NOTRE DAME EXERCISES.

The annual commencement exercises of Notre Dame University are close at hand, and it is expected that the attendance this year will be larger than ever. The class of 1909 will make its parting bow on the evening of June 16, when the Hon. Thomas H. Carter, United States Senator from Montana, will deliver the principal address. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached on the previous Sunday by the Rev. Father Thomas C. O'Reilly, D. D., of Cleveland, Ohio.

FATHER PUNCH TRIED.

There is a well defined rumor in the Covington diocese that the Rev. Father William Punch, of Richmond, will have charge of the new parish in Lexington. Father Punch has labored in the mountains and in the Bluegrass; he understands Kentuckians and they understand him. If he should be appointed to the new pastorate there is little doubt that he will prove the right man in the right place.

ESCAPED SERIOUS INJURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reedy, of Newport, Ky., had a narrow escape from death or serious injury in a runaway accident in that city last Saturday. The horse Mr. Reedy was driving took fright at a wheelbarrow and dashed furiously down the street. The wheels were torn from the buggy and Mr. and Mrs. Reedy were thrown out. Both escaped with minor bruises.

EUCHRE AND DANCE.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will give a euchre and dance at Falls City Hall, Market street, near Twelfth, on Wednesday evening, June 16. The euchre game will be called at 8 o'clock. Tickets are being sold at twenty-five cents. The committee in charge of the arrangements is made up of Misses Kate Nolan, Belle O'Connell and Anna Belle Rihn.

MOTION PICTURES.

Although the summer season is close upon us there has been no falling off in the attendance at any of the motion picture shows under the management of the Princess Amusement Company. The Casio, the Princess and Columbia continue to show to crowded houses. New films will be shown every day next week.

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PHLEGMATISM FADED AWAY

It has been the custom of American and other writers for years to say that Englishmen were cool and hard headed. In fact they were accused of being too phlegmatic. Nothing would start them out of a rut. These stories had been told so often in the last seventy-five or 100 years that the English people began to believe them. Within the past month there has been a British awakening, or rather a series of awakenings. The end is not yet. If the Johnny Bulls do not stop shivering they will shake the leaves off the lordliest oaks in their island. Premier Asquith started it all when he startled Parliament with the German naval hubbub. Pulpit and forum, stage and press took up the matter and demanded more Dreadnaughts. Then came Lloyd George and his budget. The Britishers went to Dreadnaughts, but they objected to footing the bills. Next some one in Wales saw or thought he saw an airship. It was a German airship and only hovered over England at night. After it was seen in Wales others claimed to have seen it, and the German war scare was once more of paramount interest. Not satisfied with filling the channel and the air with fighting machines, questions were asked in the House of Commons last week with reference to the Germans residing in England. A gigantic army was invented containing rifles ready for use in case of war with Germany.

The greatest scare of all came when the London Times explained the authority of the Springfield Republican, that in the event of war between Great Britain and Germany the United States could only remain sternly neutral, and furthermore the United States would regard only with suspicion the assumption of a certain section of the English press that they could be reckoned even as morally an ally of Great Britain.

The story in the London Times set the London Spectator afire, and on Saturday its editor threw a fit. He says that those who control the American foreign policy will have no anxieties as long as the command of the sea remains in British hands. Then he adds: "No doubt there is a certain party in the United States which desires its own country should in the future possess the command of the sea. If, however, it can not induce the people of America to make the necessary sacrifice and create the immense fleet required for that purpose it would much rather that control should remain in our hands."

The editor of the Spectator concludes: "To put the matter with perfect candor, they have a hold upon us which they have not upon Germany. If she once obtained command of the sea, would be quite out of reach of any American pressure. German supremacy over Great Britain at sea of a permanent kind would at once make it necessary for America to secure herself and the policy to which she is devoted by outbuilding and outgunning Germany in the matter of sea power, but that might prove a task of the greatest difficulty. For it is hardly likely that Germany, having won command of the sea, would quietly allow the United States to wrest it from her. It is not for us to suggest what will be the ultimate or practical effect of these considerations, but we do say without fear of contradiction that they exist and that they must affect the attitude taken up by the United States toward any struggle for sea power between us and Germany."

IRISH MINSTRELSY.

New Yorkers Heard Real Hibernian Melodies This Week.

New York City was given a taste of genuine Irish minstrelsy at the Palm Garden last Tuesday night. The Irish-Americans have not had as much practice in choral singing as their German brethren, yet they rendered Irish melodies as if they had never done anything else, and New York's sons of the Gael are planning for a great Irish song festival after the manner of the German Saengerbund.

William Ludwig, the celebrated Irish baritone, arranged the programme and was the principal soloist. On the whole it was the best presentation of Irish music the people of New York have ever had an opportunity to hear. One of the main features, a new Irish national anthem with words by Dr. John Jerome Rooney and music by Victor Herbert, was sung for the first time by William Ludwig, assisted by a chorus from the Gaelic singing societies. Victor Herbert conducted.

RIVERVIEW PARK.

Riverview Park, prettier than ever, threw open its gates to the public last Sunday. For a month or more the painters have been at work on the buildings, fresh tanbark has been strewn in the walks, flowers have been set out and everything possible has been done to make the park resemble fairyland. More incandescent lights have been installed and when all the globes are lighted night is turned into day. Something more than 7,000 people visited Riverview Park last Sunday and enjoyed the various amusements. Chief of these were Don Phillipini and his band, which made such a hit last season.

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IMPROVES SLOWLY.

Charles Gerth, the genial assistant foreman of the Anzeiger's composing room, is slowly recovering from injuries received last Sunday evening. Devotion to duty resulted in his injury. Mr. Gerth was on route home when he ran across an item. He hurried back to the office and reported it. A second time he started home, and while passing the Caperton building, at Fourth and Green streets, a flower pot fell from the third story and alighted in his head. It became necessary to take four stitches in his scalp. His escape from death was almost miraculous.

FONTAINE FERRY PARK.

Fontaine Ferry Park is now looking its prettiest and has been the Mecca for many residents of Louisville during the past week. The free gate and the open air concerts held to draw the crowds, and at the same time the other attractions are receiving their share of patronage. The open air concerts will be continued every afternoon and evening next week.

MILITARY

Masses Are Attracting Great Attention in Eastern States.

Grand Open Air Celebration in Maryland Is Near at Hand.

Thousands Attended the Memorial Celebration in Navy Yard.

MUSIC WAS OF HIGH ORDER

Military mass will be attended by the garrison at Fort Howard and possibly of Fort Melleny on Sunday, June 6. The arrangements have been made by the Rev. Father John W. Gaynor, pastor of St. Luke's church at Sparrows Point, Md. Mass will be celebrated in the open air, and Cardinal Gibbons will occupy a throne in the al fresco sanctuary and will also preach the sermon. It is said to be the first time such a service will be given for the benefit of United States troops south of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, where every year the sailors and marines attached to the yard and the artillery and infantry troops from Governor's Island and the artillery district of New York attend the service.

At the military mass at Sparrows Point will be large delegations from the Ancient Order of Hibernians and Knights of Columbus, while the Hibernian Rifles, under command of Capt. John J. Carroll, will act as the special escort of Cardinal Gibbons. Col. W. C. Rafferty, commanding the artillery district of Baltimore, in which Fort Howard and Fort Melleny are situated, has co-operated with Father Gaynor by extending the pastor's invitation to the men of the district, and it is probable that the post band from Fort Howard will attend the mass and assist in the music.

The mass will begin at 10:30 o'clock. In the afternoon Cardinal Gibbons will confirm a large class, and in the evening solemn vespers will be sung, and the Rev. Dr. William Temple of Wilmington, Del., will preach on "The Church's Attitude Toward Labor and Capital." Last Sunday the annual military field mass in honor of the memory of the dead of the army, navy and marine corps was celebrated in the New York Navy Yard. The parade grounds in front of the Marine barracks was the scene of the mass. The Rev. Father Eugene E. McDonald, Chaplain of the United States navy, celebrated the mass. The Rev. Father John B. Chidwick, former Chaplain of the battleship Maine, was deacon, and the Rev. Father Gleason, of the battleship Connecticut, was sub-deacon of the mass. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Father John L. Bedford. A choir of seventy voices, led by Prof. Albert S. Caswell, assisted by six pieces from the Sixty-ninth Regiment band and sixty-five pieces from the New York police band, furnished the music of the mass.

Among the organizations that participated were the various army and navy patriotic societies and sailors from the battleships Connecticut, Rhode Island, Nebraska, Alabama and Ohio. The guard of honor was made up of marines from the navy yard detachment. Among the civic organizations that took part were twenty-one divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, 4,000 Knights of Columbus, 1,500 members of the Catholic Benevolent Society, the Daughters of Isabella and the Catholic Women's Benevolent Association.

JUVENILE STORIES.

Catholic Library to Amuse and Instruct the Children.

The Kentucky Irish American is in receipt of two sample volumes of the new illustrated Catholic Library. The Catholic Library is published by the C. Wilderman Company, of New York, and apparently great efforts have been made to give the Catholic public cheap books for their children, something of educational value and at the same time of attractive appearance.

In all there are thirty small volumes of juvenile stories, and among the authors are such celebrities as the Rev. Father Francis Finn, S. J., Maurice Francis Egan, Walter Lecky, Mrs. James Sadler, L. W. Reilly, Mary Catherine Crowley and others. The prices are extremely low, one volume, five cents; thirty volumes, \$1.35; sixty volumes, \$2.50, all postpaid. Every volume is nicely illustrated.

CARRIERS ELECT DELEGATES.

Falls City Branch No. 14 of the National Association of Letter Carriers met in regular session last Saturday night and elected the following delegates to the national convention to be held at St. Paul, Minn., from August 30 to September 5. The delegates chosen were John S. Emmons, Charles W. Huber, Daniel W. Cuniff, Joseph Aschergran, Carl A. Settelmayer, Louis W. Borntraeger and Edward B. Robuck. Mr. Emmons is also a member of the Committee on Constitution and Law and the Auditing Committee. Louisville will be ably represented in the convention.

COLONELS COMING HOME.

The Louisville baseball club will return home next week after its first long trip of the season, and on Wednesday will cross bats with the Minneapolis team. Before they leave again the Colonels will also meet the teams from Kansas City, St. Paul and Milwaukee. On the present trip the Colonels did not do as well as expected, but have managed to hold second place. A much better showing is promised as the season advances.

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